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January 12, 1998

Margaret Meli  
98 Grant Street  
P. O. Box 28  
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Re: Request for Annual Report for the Year 1997

Dear Ms. Meli:

The enclosed annual report form(s) for the mine(s) referenced below should be completed and returned to this office by January 31, 1998.

Mine No.

Mine Name

S/045/042

Little Billie/Star

Last year you notified us that you were leasing your property to Kennecott. As you are the operator listed on the permit application, you are still considered the responsible party for reclamation of any disturbance at the property, unless you complete a formal transfer of your permit to Kennecott. If you wish to pursue this course of action, please complete the enclosed small mining operations transfer form and forward it to Kennecott for their signature and notarization as well.

Annual reports are required by Rules R647-3-116 and R647-4-121 of the Division's Amended and New Rules, Minerals Reclamation Program. **Annual reports are required regardless of annual mine activity, unless you have received a written waiver or formal release from continued reclamation obligations from the Division.** Thank you for your cooperation and prompt attention to this matter. If you have questions regarding this letter, please contact me at (801) 538-5286 or Tom Munson at 538-5321.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg  
Permit Supervisor  
Minerals Reclamation Program